

LEGAL FIGHT BEING WAGED

SHERIFF OF PAWNEE COUNTY IS BUSY UP IN MISSOURI

HORSE STEALING CASE

Wherein Requisition Papers are Being Fought for.

Special to Daily Leader.
Joplin, Mo., May 9.—The legal fight between the officers and Patterson and Miller, charged with stealing horses in Oklahoma, and introducing the same into Missouri, is still in progress, each side searching diligently for any advantage ground. As was stated in yesterday's morning edition, the accused men refused to return with Sheriff Panmyr of Pawnee, Okla., without requisition papers.
Sheriff Panmyr stated to a reporter that the county attorney of Pawnee county, the one in which the horses were stolen, was preparing the requisition for the requisition when the sheriff left for Joplin, Friday. Seeing that a fight would be made to prevent the return of the two men, the Oklahoma sheriff started for Jefferson City yesterday, where he will see Governor Fox, and present the requisition for the return of the men.
On the other side the attorneys for the defense have been just as active, and left last night for Jefferson City, where the will contend against the return of the accused. Owing to the fact that the men have been arrested here on a warrant charging them with introducing stolen property into the state, the attorneys will contend that if the men are guilty in Oklahoma, they are guilty in Missouri, and the laws of this state are adequate in the case. The attorneys will further argue that the accused men are not guilty.
The father of Patterson arrived in the city last night and went directly to the police station. The old gentleman has the appearance of being a thrifty stock dealer, and in talking with a reporter said it was all a mistake, his son could in no way be connected with the theft. He said further that his son had no occasion to steal as he could any day get \$10,000, in case he needed it. Mr. Patterson will stay here until it is decided what disposition will be made of the case now in progress.

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OPERA HOUSE BURNED.
Fire yesterday destroyed the opera house at Jefferson, owned by William Raine. The loss is \$5,000.

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OCCUPANTS OF COAL LANDS.
Names Will Be Taken and Removal Ordered.

South McAlester, I. T., May 9.—Gov. McCurtain has ordered L. K. Collins, deputy sheriff of Tulsa county, to visit the segregated coal lands and obtain the names of all parties found living on such lands. It is the intention of the Governor to make a report to the Indian agent, after which an order will be issued for the removal of all persons found occupying segregated coal lands.

Coughs and colds, down to the very borderland of consumption, yield to the soothing, healing influence of r. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup.

Hear the Wilcox Brothers for one week, beginning Sunday night, May 7, at the Methodist church, corner Broad street and Noble avenue. Admission free.

BEVERIDGE ON STATEHOOD

Indiana Senator Writes Letter to Gristmill Jones.

Oklahoma City, Okla., May 9.—Gristmill Jones, chairman of the single statehood executive committee, announced today that the railroad had made a one-fare rate to Oklahoma City for the single statehood convention, June 12, and that the indications pointed to the largest statehood gathering in the history of Oklahoma. Mr. Jones today received a letter from Senator Beveridge, in which he said:

"I am in receipt of your letter inviting me to be present at the joint statehood convention to be held in Oklahoma City July 12. I should like to meet face-to-face the representatives of the splendid people who have developed these rich Territories and who are soon to be the first citizens of one of the grandest of American Commonwealths, the splendid new state of Oklahoma. For it will be one of the grandest of American states—grand in its noble dimensions, grand in the superb character of its people, grand in the unsurpassed richness, grand in the eminent place it will instantly take in the sisterhood of the Union, grand in the certainty of a glorious future. Since I became chairman of the committee on Territories I have given the subject my serious consideration. The result of this study was the conviction that the original boundaries of Oklahoma and Indian Territory should be restored and that these sundered parts, reunited, should

be brought into the Union as one Commonwealth. The committee of which I have the honor to be chairman has fought for this idea through two congresses. At first the proposition was not received with any enthusiasm. "But, as is always the case with all true and just ideas, the proposition of single statehood for the two Territories has grown until an overwhelming majority of both branches of the American congress now favor it. This idea, which is that of the people of Oklahoma and Indian Territory, and for which our committee has steadily battled for three years, will become a reality at the coming session of congress."

THE CONFESSIONS OF GASTON

It seems to me that every woman I have ever known was saying the compliments of her hair in order that she might have a switch made of them.

I have noticed that while a corset looks dainty and attractive in a store window it is mighty starchy and unprepossessing looking in a closet.

Occasionally I meet a girl named "Eleanor" who is not called "Nell."

It always seems to me that boiled beef did an unusually large business considering its capitalization.

I serve notice now that I shall refuse to spend much time in the parks until they invent a more comfortable park seat.

I find that after a man is thirty he can easily restrain any disposition he may have to keep up a correspondence with more than one girl at a time.

After a very thorough search I have come to the conclusion that the hardest thing to find is a comfortable chair.

There is a good deal of difference between the East and West. I have noticed that when a woman out here has a piece of dainty sewing in her hand and an expectant look on her face she doesn't sit out on the veranda a great deal.

It is my observation that a man spends about half his time looking for the cigar he laid down and women a little more than half in looking the gun she stuck under the table.

I'll admit that I am always able to restrain any excitement I may feel at an exhibition of oriental rugs.—Topeka Capital.

American Church Congress.

Brooklyn, N. Y., May 9.—Between four and five hundred ministers of various churches participated in the opening of the Episcopal church congress which opened here today and will be in session for three days. Bishop Brewster, of Connecticut, delivered the opening address. The Right Reverend Frederick Burgess, D. C., bishop of the diocese of Long Island, presides over the congress. This congress is held in those years when the Triennial General Conference does not meet to discuss topics of especial interest to the church and the community at large. It does not deal with legislative matters. The action of Bishop Burgess in inviting representatives of other churches to the congress has met with wide approval.

Impossible to foresee an accident. Not impossible to be prepared for it. Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—Monarch over pain.

Live Stock Men Meet.

Denver, Colo., May 9.—If President Roosevelt had stayed over today he would have been asked to preside over the opening of the American Stock Growers' Convention which opened in this city this morning. This organization was formed by the seceders from the annual convention of the National Live Stock Association held here last January, and the meeting which opened here today is the first it has held. Permanent organization will be effected and discussion of diseases among live stock, government inspection and the powers of the interstate commerce commission will come before the convention.

The price of a pretty face is \$1.00—three packages of Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. Brings red lips, bright eyes and lovely color. 25 cents. Tea or Tablet. Ask your druggist.

Refrigerator Car Rates.

Chicago Ill., May 9.—The interstate commerce commission today took up the charges relating to the refrigerator car lines and the various railroads operating these cars. The investigation will be exhaustive and it is expected that much important information regarding the operation of these lines will be obtained. The investigation is made because of the refusal of the Armour car lines to obey an order of the interstate commerce commission after that body had determined that the rates of this corporation on fruit from Michigan points to Boston and other places were unjust and unreasonable.

Danger is near at hand when the kidneys are sick. Kidney-Ettes will purify and strengthen the kidneys and restore them to their normal and healthy condition. Twenty-five cents. J. N. Wallace.

Kentucky Election Trials.

Louisville, Ky., May 9.—I. N. Vetter, superintendent of the workhouse and the city of Louisville, with seven police officers, are defendants in a trial which began here today in connection with election frauds, and violations of the federal statutes against poignage. Perry Cook and Bob Price, colored, are federal witnesses in the trial.

On Thursday, Friday and Saturday, May 21, June 1 and 2, city examinations for school teachers will be held. Examinations for common school diplomas will be held May 18 and 19.



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There are two classes of purchasers; those who are informed as to the quality of what they buy and the reasons for the excellence of articles of exceptional merit, and who do not lack courage to go elsewhere when a dealer offers an imitation of any well known article; but, unfortunately, there are some people who do not know, and who allow themselves to be imposed upon. They cannot expect its beneficial effects if they do not get the genuine remedy.

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